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<015>	Study Area Name	WEST RIVER COOPERATIVE TEL. CO.
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October 8, 2013

Charles W. Murphy, Chairman
Standing Rock Sioux Tribe
PO Box D
Fort Yates, ND 58539

Dear: Mr. Murphy:

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC), as part of its 2012 Order reforming the federal universal service mechanisms related to telecommunications and information services, adopted new "Tribal Engagement" provisions that are intended to improve communications and foster a greater understanding between service providers and Tribal entities of the factors necessary to deploy and sustain telecommunication services on Tribal lands. See FCC Public Notice, Office of Native Affairs and Policy, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, and Wireline Competition Bureau Issue Further Guidance on Tribal Engagement Obligation Provisions of the Connect America Fund, DA 12-1165, released July 19, 2012.

Pursuant to the FCC's rules related to Tribal Engagement, West River Cooperative Telephone Company would, as soon as possible, like to begin discussions with the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe in a manner consistent with the FCC rules. Accordingly, we would request a meeting with the Tribe and it is our hope that this meeting could be held sometime prior to the end of October, 2013. The purpose of this meeting will, generally, be to exchange information related to the deployment and provisioning of communications services on Tribal lands. While West River Cooperative Telephone Company leaves to your discretion attendees from the tribe at this requested meeting, it is important that at least some of the tribal representative attendees at the meeting are "decision-makers," as this can change the perspectives of the discussions. West River Cooperative Telephone Company asks that the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe provide a name and contact information for a Tribal representative who can assist in scheduling and arranging a meeting with the appropriate Tribal government staff and leaders to discuss deployment and sustainability of telecommunications services on Tribal lands. This information may be provided to the undersigned by calling (605) 244-5213, or through an e-mail directed to jreisenauer@wrctc.coop.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. We look forward to discussing these important matters with you.

Sincerely,

Jerry P. Reisenauer, General Manager

JPR:pk

October 8, 2013

Mr. Kevin Keckler, Sr., Tribal Chairman
Cheyenne River Sioux Tribal Government
PO Box 590
Eagle Butte, SD 57625

Dear: Mr. Keckler:

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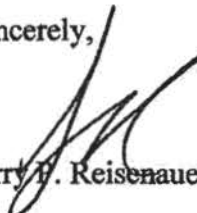
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